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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Oliver SEEGER, et al.

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EXAMINER:

FOR: USE OF COATED METALLIC LUSTER PIGMENTS FOR PIGMENTING HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT MATERIALS

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

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- ☐ A check or credit card payment form is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p).

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- 1) References AA-AC have been cited in the International Search Report.
- 2) Reference        have been cited in the corresponding            Search Report. A copy of this reference is being submitted herewith.
- 3) References AO-AS are discussed in the specification. A copy of these references is being submitted here with.
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